

## 800 MHz Reconfiguration – Expansion Band Election Form

**Licensee Organization Name:** Metropolitan Transit Authority of Harris County

Call Sign	Location(s) and Frequency(ies)
KRX666	601 Milam Houston, TX. Harris County 860.3875
KRX666	Transco Tower 2800 Post Oak Blvd. Houston, TX. Harris County 860.3875

Please attach additional sheets to your election if needed.

<b>Comments (optional)</b>	Per our conversation with Steve Lederman on March 24, 2006, our Transition Administator package was not mailed to us until March 8, 2006, which was after the expiration date of January 03, 2006 listed on the memo inside our package as the deadline for this form to return. Therefore this is the reason we are making our elections at this time. Thank you.
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### Licensee Contact for this Request

<b>Name:</b>	Derrick Blount
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<b>City:</b>	Houston
<b>State:</b>	TX
<b>ZIP Code:</b>	77208-1429
<b>Telephone:</b>	713-615-7373
<b>Email Address:</b>	db03@ridemetro.org

I hereby request the channels for the call signs and locations listed above to **REMAIN** in the Expansion Band.

Name *(print)*: Derrick Blount

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*NOTE: If you are a Wave 1, 2, or 3 licensee and have not yet returned a Point of Contact Form to the TA, please complete and fax to the TA at 888-701-4380. Please contact the TA if you are a Wave 1, 2, or 3 licensee and have not received your Form.*

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE EXPANSION BAND ELECTION FORM**

This form should be used by Public Safety licensees currently operating in the Expansion Band that wish to remain in the Expansion Band. To facilitate frequency planning, this form should be completed and returned to the TA as soon as possible but no later than September 27, 2005 for Wave 1 licensees, January 3, 2006 for Wave 2 licensees, April 3, 2006 for qualifying Wave 3 licensees, and July 3, 2006 for Wave 4 licensees.

The 800 MHz Order of the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”) envisions that Public Safety entities currently operating in the Expansion Band (812.5-813.5 MHz/857.5-858.5 MHz in certain areas of the Southeast U.S. (specifically, certain counties in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee where the new 800 MHz band configuration is modified) and 815-816 MHz/860-861 MHz elsewhere, will be relocated unless they affirmatively elect to remain on their current frequencies. Potentially affected licensees in the Southeast U.S. should consult the FCC’s [Second Erratum](#) to the 800 MHz Order for additional information. The timing of when a licensee may actually relocate, if they so choose, to those frequencies will be dependent on their negotiations with Nextel. If a licensee does not also have frequencies in the 806-809MHz/851-854 MHz range that must be reconfigured in the first stage of a Wave, they should negotiate with Nextel and reconfigure in the same timeframe as licensees with NPSPAC frequencies (821-824 MHz/866-869 MHz) during the second stage of their Wave.

Requests related to licenses covering the Canadian and Mexican border areas will be deferred pending additional guidance from the FCC. Petitions for reconsideration related to the Expansion Band are currently pending before the FCC and may affect Expansion Band elections.

1. Licensee Name – Please provide the name of your organization. This should be the licensee of record with the FCC and the organization that will enter into contracts with Nextel. Please explain in the Comments field if this organization is not the licensee of the call signs included in this request or if the request involved multiple licensee entities, etc.
2. Call Signs – Please list all 800 MHz call signs to be included in the Expansion Band election.
3. Locations and Frequencies – For each call sign, please list by location numbers from your FCC license all current frequencies that are included in the Expansion Band election. If your request covers all locations and all Expansion Band frequencies, please enter “ALL.”
4. Comments – Please provide any related comments. Note that this step is optional.
5. Contact Information – Please provide complete contact information for the organization. Please ensure that this contact information matches information provided in your Point of Contact Form if you have submitted one to the Transition Administrator.

6. Return the completed Form to the Transition Administrator:

Via fax: (866) 432-8317

Via e-mail: [elections@800TA.org](mailto:elections@800TA.org)

Via mail: 800 MHz Transition Administrator, LLC  
c/o Steve Lederman  
Squire, Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P.  
1201 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.  
P.O. Box 407  
Washington, D.C. 20044-0407

Parties should also file a copy of their election with the FCC in WT Docket No. 02-55.

Questions should be directed to the TA at [elections@800TA.org](mailto:elections@800TA.org). Additional information regarding the 800 MHz reconfiguration process can be found at [www.800TA.org](http://www.800TA.org).